## LISTENER'S FOUR SQUARE

Names				

After you listen the **FIRST TIME**, discuss these questions in your group:

- a) What does the music remind you of? What does it make you think of?
- b) How does the music make you feel?
- c) Can you think of a time when you felt this way?

After you listen the **SECOND TIME**, discuss these questions in your group:

- a) In what culture do you think this music originated?
- b) Do you think these are professional or amateur musicians? Can anyone perform this music?
- c) What purpose or occasion is associated with this music?
- d) Do you think this music is meant for listening, singing, or dancing?

As you listen the **THIRD TIME**, each person choose a different square and listen for that element. Discuss your observations.

- a) How does the composer use these elements to create the feeling you first described?
- b) If any of the elements changed, do you think the feeling would still be the same?

INSTRUMENTS & VOICES  Bass voices • Treble voices • Children's voices  Woodwinds • Brass • Strings • Percussion  Expected sounds • Special sounds • very high or very low	TEMPO Very slow • Slow • Medium • Medium fast • Very fast Changes or stays the same Slows down • Speeds up • gradually or suddenly
DYNAMICS  Very quiet • Quiet • Medium • Loud • Very loud Change or stay the same Gets quieter • Gets louder • gradually or suddenly	ARTICULATION Smooth • Choppy • With emphasis Change or stay the same

